

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.	: 10/626,076	Confirmation No.:	4532
Applicant(s)	: Andrea VENTURELLI		
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Title	: DILATION CATHETER STRUCTURE		
Customer No.	: 24633		

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **February 27, 2009**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.